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In re the Application of:
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
MOVING CARRIAGE ASSEMBLY
FROM INITIAL POSITION TO
TARGET POSITION AND OPTICAL
DISC SYSTEM INCLUDING SAME

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§ Examiner: DINH, Tan
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RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Official Communication from the Office of Petitions mailed August 15, 2001, in which it dismissed Applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.182, Applicant respectfully requests that the Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate Double Patenting filed on October 25, 1999 be reinstated, and the petition under 37 CFR 1.182 filed on May 24, 2001 be withdrawn.

In view of the above request and the Office Action of January 7, 2000 which stated that the above-referenced application is in condition for allowance, Applicant believes that claims 1 and 17-71 are in condition for allowance.

If the Examiner believes that contact with Applicant's attorney would be advantageous toward the disposition of this case, he is herein requested to call Applicant's attorney at the phone number noted below.

Respectfully submitted,

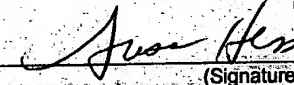
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